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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:  
Eric N. OLSON et al.

Serial No.: 09/061,417

Filed: April 16, 1998

For: METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR  
THERAPEUTIC INTERVENTION IN  
CARDIAC HYPERTROPHY

Group Art Unit: 1632

Examiner: M. Davis

Atty. Dkt. No.: MYOG:029US/SLH

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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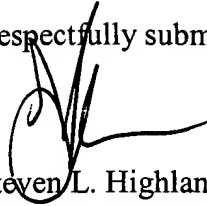
Commissioner:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants petition for an extension of time of two months to and including October 17, 2004 in which to file the Appeal Brief.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17, a check in the amount of \$385.00 is enclosed, which includes the process fee (\$215.00) for a two-month extension of time.

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